# **Energy Events**

October 2006

## Southern California Clean Vehicle Technology Expo

October 10-11, Ontario Convention Center, Ontario

(agenda posted online at www.cleanvehicleexpo.com)

Join Southern California's fleet operators, alternative and clean fuel vehicle manufacturers, infrastructure technology providers, funding agencies, and other industry experts as they exchange information on clean vehicle funding, policies and regulations. Hear from the manufacturers directly about their light-, medium- and heavy-duty product offerings for 2007 and beyond.

The Expo is offering the Early Bird rate to anyone in your group of \$50 (includes lunch)! Please register online at <a href="https://www.cleanvehicleexpo.com">www.cleanvehicleexpo.com</a> by clicking the link to register and enter the discount code "EXPO50" to receive half off of the regular rate of \$100. Please call (310) 314-1934 ext 8 or <a href="mailto:info@cleanvehicleexpo.com">info@cleanvehicleexpo.com</a> with any questions.

#### WHERE

**Ontario Convention Center** 

2000 Convention Center Way

Ontario, CA 91764

#### **INFO**

(310) 314-1934 ext. 8

## Sustainable Collaborative: Santa Monica City Energy Independence Plans

October 11, Los Angeles Community College Board Room

Noon to 1 pm
Bring your lunch
LACCD Board Room
770 Wilshire @ Flower
Please use public transit or carpool. Near Red Line station, DASH, METRO busses.

Can YOUR city get "off the grid"?

Susan Munves, Energy and Green Building Program Administrator for the City of Santa Monica will discuss the actions that the City of Santa Monica has been pursuing to become energy independent. Santa Monica has been on the forefront of sustainability for years. Susan will review the pioneering ideas that have supported this effort as part of her presentation.

## National Energy Symposium - Facing California's Energy Future

October 12, California State Capitol, Sacramento

Dr. Robert Sawyer, Chairman of the California Air Resources Board will be among faculty and speakers taking part in the National Energy Symposiu. Leaders from government, business and the media are invited to attend the National Energy Symposium Oct. 12, 2006 in the California State Capitol cosponsored by the California Energy Commission and many of California's leading academic research institutions.

Faculty and panels will include some of the nation's leading experts, who will take an objective, nonpartisan look at how to confront the critical energy issues facing the world, focusing especially on California, the nation's most populous state.

The Symposium will examine the science and economics of energy. The economic principles of supply, demand and costs are the keys to understanding energy markets. The symposium will also review energy sources, including oil, gas, alternatives, and potential new sources of energy in the future. (Click here for coverage of the June 15 Symposium at USC.)

More information is online at

http://www.communicationsinstitute.com/site/cpage.asp?cpage\_id=140004567&s ec\_id=140000791

## British Consulate Sustainable Energy Symposium October 13, UCLA main campus

## International Sustainable Energy Forum

October 13, 2006 (8:30 a.m. - 1:00p.m.)

Presented by The Science and Innovation Network (SIN) of The British Consulate General, Los Angeles and UCLA The Institute of the Environments

Join us for a series of interactive panel discussions on October 13, 2006 at UCLA Tom Bradley International Center. This event will provide an opportunity for US organisations and companies to meet with UK sustainable energy associations to discuss California's clean energy market as well as best practices and technologies, leading to profitable new linkages, collaborations and partnerships.

Participants will include: Sustainable energy companies, policy makers & regulators and university research centers in California and The United Kingdom. Also venture capitalists, representatives from utilities, universities and large energy users.

#### **Keynote Speaker**

**Terry Tamminen\***, Secretary of California's Environmental Protection Agency

#### Panellists for the interactive discussion include:

- **Ian Bryden,** Chair of Renewable Energy, University of Edinburgh, UK
- **Tim Green,** Professor of Power Engineering, Control and Power Research Group - Imperial College, UK
- Andrew Mill, Chief Executive of NaREC (New and Renewable Energy Centre), UK
- **Diane Wittenberg,** President of The Climate Registry
- **Stuart R. Hemphill,** Director of Renewable and Alternative Power, Southern California Edison

- Richard Germain, Associate Director, Navigant Consulting
- Coby Skye, Associate Civil Engineer, LADPW, Environmental Programs Division - Waste to Energy
- **Dr. Paul Zorner\***, Senior Director Business Development, Diversa Corp.
- **Bill Honnef\***, Senior Vice President, Sales & Marketing, Verasun Energy
- **Cecilia Aguillon,** Director of Business Development & Government Relations, Kyocera Solar Inc.

(\*) Yet to confirm attendance

### **Program Overview**

Program features include three interactive panels led by sustainable energy experts from the policy, industry and academic sectors, and keynote addresses by local senior government representative, pertaining to Sustainable Energy Opportunities & Future Developments. Interactive panels will cover the following topics:

- Best Practices Californian and International Perspectives on Policy and Implementation
- Sustainable Options for Energy Generation
- Clean Transport Technologies & Economics
- Emerging Trend in Sustainable Energy

### **Tentative Program Agenda:**

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Registration and light breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Academic Panel
10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Coffee Break
10:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Industry Panel
11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Policy Panel
12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Lunch / Keynote Speaker

Admission is free! Registration is required and seating is limited.

To register, please RSVP your attendance via email to <a href="mailto:beverly.xu@fco.gov.uk">beverly.xu@fco.gov.uk</a>

Please don't forget to indicate your name, corporation and contact number

Under subject area of the email please kindly indicate "International Sustainable Energy Symposium"





# 2006 Summit on Emerging Technologies in Energy Efficiency October 26-28, Long Beach

Conference details, including a preliminary program with session titles and speakers and hotel and registration info, is available at the following Web site: <a href="http://aceee.org/conf/06et/06etannounce.htm">http://aceee.org/conf/06et/06etannounce.htm</a>

The Summit will be held October 26-27, 2006 at the Long Beach Hyatt in Long Beach, California. It is organized by the American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy (ACEEE) and sponsored by the California Emerging Technologies Coordinating Council\* and the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority.

The Summit will highlight key policy considerations at the state and national level, explore the role of various players in advancing markets for emerging technologies, and investigate channels for financing technology development and commercialization. A number of promising technologies and practices will also be introduced.

\* The California Emerging Technologies Coordinating Council includes the California Energy Commission, Pacific Gas & Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Southern California Edison, and Southern California Gas.

## 2006 Boston World Oil Conference October 26 - October 27, Boston

Our experts will provide the most current available information about the evolving peak oil and natural gas challenges. To cover those stories, we're bringing in widely respected speakers from all over the U.S. and Canada plus Europe, the Middle East and even South America. From world-wide industry analyst PFC Energy to a Brazilian cane-to-ethanol grower, you'll hear a broad range of perspectives.

ASPO-USA has partnered with Boston University researchers to explore the critical role that net-energy analysis should play in our policy decisions going forward. In our present mad dash to develop substitute fuels, are we on the right track? Do we have the right scorecard? Attendees will hear first-hand the early results of that partnership and its critical implication for evaluating our options.

At the same time that we continue to address key gaps in essential information and awareness about the looming peak oil issue, it is time to expand our individual and collective focus towards "intelligent responses" to the challenge. What should the Blueprint for Peak Oil Action be? Given what we know today, what best strategies should we as individuals, organizations and a nation pursue from 2007 forward? Every speaker will be engaged in this discussion; and all conference attendees will be asked for their input as well.

Information is available at <a href="http://www.aspousa.org/fall2006/index.cfm">http://www.aspousa.org/fall2006/index.cfm</a>